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## **United States District Court**

## Western District of Wisconsin

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

JUDGMENT IN A CRIMINAL CASE

(for offenses committed on or after November 1, 1987)

V.

Case Number:

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Orefo Okeke

**Defendant's Attorney:** 

Robert Ruth

The defendant, Orefo Okeke, pled guilty to Count 1 of the indictment.

Counts 2 though 10 of the indictment are dismissed on the motion of the United States.

The defendant has been advised of his right to appeal.

ACCORDINGLY, the court has adjudicated defendant guilty of the following offense(s):

Title & Section Nature of Offense Concluded Number(s)

18 U.S.C. § 371 Conspiracy to Commit Wire Fraud & Money Laundering, December 2016

Date Offense Count Number(s)

Concluded Number(s)

1

Class D felony

The defendant is sentenced as provided in pages 2 through 6 of this judgment. The sentence is imposed pursuant to the Sentencing Reform Act of 1984.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the defendant shall notify the United States Attorney for this district within 30 days of any change of name, residence, or mailing address until all fines, restitution, costs, and special assessments imposed by this judgment are fully paid. If ordered to pay restitution, the defendant shall notify the court and United States Attorney of any material change in the defendant's economic circumstances.

Defendant's Date of Birth:	1976	October 18, 2018
Defendant's USM No.:	56414-177	Date of Imposition of Judgment
Defendant's Residence Address:	Arlington, TX	/s/ William Conley
Defendant's Mailing Address:	c/o Dane County Jail 115 West Doty Street Madison, WI 53703	William M. Conley District Judge
		October 18, 2018
		Date Signed:

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# IMPRISONMENT

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As to Count 1 of the indictment, it is adjudged that the defendant is committed to the custody of the Bureau of Prisons for a term of 45 months.

The probation officer is directed to send the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement a copy of this judgment and is to provide the court with a copy of the transmittal letter.

The U.S. Probation Office is to notify local law enforcement agencies, and the state attorney general, of defendant's release to the community.

#### **RETURN**

	I have executed this judgment as follows:			
	Defendant delivered on	to		
at _		, with a certified copy of this judgment.		
		United States Marshal		
		Ву		
		Deputy Marshal		

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### SUPERVISED RELEASE

This term of imprisonment is to be followed by a one-year term of supervised release, although the defendant will likely be deported upon the completion of his prison term. If the defendant is deported, any term of supervised release will be inactive, and the defendant will be subject to both prosecution and revocation of his term of supervised release if he returns to the United States illegally. If he is allowed to legally reside in the United States, however, supervision will facilitate his reintegration into the community, monitor his finances, and ensure the payment of restitution. Therefore, I impose conditions 1 through 4, 7 through 9, and 11 through 15, with additional reasoning as outlined in the Appendix to the presentence report. Neither party has raised any objections to the proposals.

If, when the defendant is released from confinement to begin his term of supervised release, either the defendant or the supervising probation officer believes that any of the conditions imposed today are no longer appropriate, either one may petition the Court for review.

Moreover, because the instant offense is not drug related, mandatory drug testing as set forth at 18 U.S.C. § 3583(d) is waived.

Defendant is to abide by the statutory mandatory conditions.

#### **Statutory Mandatory Conditions**

Defendant shall report to the probation office in the district to which defendant is released within 72 hours of release from the custody of the Bureau of Prisons.

Defendant shall not commit another federal, state, or local crime.

Defendant shall not illegally possess a controlled substance.

If defendant has been convicted of a felony, defendant shall not possess a firearm, destructive device, or other dangerous weapon while on supervised release.

Defendant shall cooperate with the collection of DNA by the U.S. Justice Department and/or the U.S. Probation and Pretrial Services Office as required by Public Law 108-405.

If this judgment imposes a fine or a restitution obligation, it shall be a condition of supervised release that defendant pay any such fine or restitution that remains unpaid at the commencement of the term of supervised release in accordance with the Schedule of Payments set forth in the Financial Penalties sheet of this judgment.

Defendant shall comply with the standard and special conditions that have been adopted by this court.

#### Standard Conditions of Supervision

- Defendant shall not knowingly leave the judicial district in which defendant is being supervised without the permission of the Court or probation officer;
- 2) Defendant is to report to the probation office as directed by the Court or probation officer and shall submit a complete written report within the first five days of each month, answer inquiries by the probation officer, and follow the officer's instructions. The monthly report and the answer to inquiries shall be truthful in all respects unless a fully truthful statement would tend to incriminate defendant, in violation of defendant's constitutional rights, in which case defendant has the right to remain silent;

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- 3) Defendant shall maintain lawful employment, seek lawful employment, or enroll and participate in a course of study or vocational training that will equip defendant for suitable employment, unless excused by the probation officer or the Court:
- Defendant shall notify the probation officer within seventy-two hours of any change in residence, employer, or any 4) change in job classification;
- 5) Not imposed;
- 6) Not imposed;
- 7) Defendant shall not meet, communicate, or spend time with any persons defendant knows to be engaged in criminal activity or planning to engage in criminal activity;
- 8) Defendant shall permit a probation officer to visit defendant at home, work, or at some other mutually convenient location designated by the probation officer at any reasonable time and shall permit confiscation of any contraband observed in plain view by the probation officer;
- 9) Defendant shall notify the probation officer within seventy-two hours of being arrested or questioned by a law enforcement officer;
- Not imposed: 10)
- As directed by the probation, defendant shall notify employers and third parties providing volunteer opportunities, 11) where defendant has any kind of fiduciary responsibility of defendant's criminal record. The probation officer may also take steps to confirm defendant's compliance with this notification requirement or provide such notifications directly.

#### Special Conditions of Release

- 12) Provide the supervising U.S. Probation Officer any and all requested financial information, including copies of state and federal tax returns.
- 13) Refrain from incurring new credit charges, opening additional lines of credit or opening other financial accounts without the prior approval of the supervising U.S. Probation Officer.
- 14) Not transfer, give away, sell or otherwise convey any asset worth more than \$200 without the prior approval of the supervising U.S. Probation Officer.
- 15) Comply with the rules and regulations of the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement under the United States Department of Homeland Security and if deported or excluded from the United States, either voluntarily or involuntarily, not reenter the United States without legal permission. If reentry into the United States occurs, defendant shall report to the nearest probation office within 72 hours.

#### **ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF CONDITIONS**

I have read or have had read to me the conditions of supervision set forth in this judgment, and I fully understand them. I
have been provided a copy of them. I understand that upon finding a violation of probation or supervised release, the Court
may (1) revoke supervision, (2) extend the term of supervision, and/or (3) modify the conditions of supervision.

Defendant	Date
U.S. Probation Officer	Date

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## CRIMINAL MONETARY PENALTIES

Defendant shall pay the following total financial penalties in accordance with the schedule of payments set forth below.

<u>Count</u>	<u>Assessment</u>	<u>Fine</u>	Restitution
1	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$582,955.90
Total	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$582,955.90

It is adjudged that the defendant is to pay a \$100.00 criminal assessment penalty to the Clerk of Court for the Western District of Wisconsin immediately following sentencing.

The defendant does not have the means to pay a fine under § 5E1.2(c) without impairing his ability to support himself and his family upon release from custody.

## RESTITUTION

The defendant shall also pay mandatory restitution in the amount of \$582,955.90 to the U.S. Clerk of Court for the Western District of Wisconsin to be disbursed to the victims as indicated in Appendix B of the presentence report, which will be provided to the Clerk's Office. This obligation is joint and several with his co-defendant Clement Onuama.

Because the defendant does not have the economic resources to allow himself to make full payment of restitution in the foreseeable future under any reasonable schedule of payments, he is to begin making nominal payments of a minimum of \$250.00 each month, beginning within 30 days of defendant's release from custody, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3664(f)(3)(B).

Moreover, the defendant shall notify the court and the United States Attorney General of any material change in defendant's economic circumstances that might affect defendant's ability to pay restitution. Finally, in order for defendant to have a realistic chance of paying down this amount over time, no interest is to accrue on the unpaid portion of the restitution.

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## SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS

Payment:	s shall be	applied in	the following	order:
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- (1) assessment;
- (2) restitution;
- (3) fine principal;
- (4) cost of prosecution;
- (5) interest;
- (6) penalties.

The total fine and other monetary penalties shall be due in full immediately unless otherwise stated elsewhere.

Unless the court has expressly ordered otherwise in the special instructions above, if the judgment imposes a period of imprisonment, payment of monetary penalties shall be due during the period of imprisonment. All criminal monetary penalties, except those payments made through the Federal Bureau of Prisons' Inmate Financial Responsibility Program, are made to the clerk of court, unless otherwise directed by the court, the probation officer, or the United States Attorney.

The defendant shall receive credit for all payments previously made toward any criminal monetary penalties imposed.

In the event of a civil settlement between victim and defendant, defendant must provide evidence of such payments or settlement to the Court, U.S. Probation office, and U.S. Attorney's office so that defendant's account can be credited.